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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on October 22, 2002, the due date being extended by two months as can be seen on the attached Petition for Extension of Time, Applicants submit the following: [Please note that twice extended due date was March 22, 2003, which was a Saturday, so therefore, the filing of this response is being done so in a timely manner.]

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 1-24.

Please add new claims 25-53 as follows:

25 (New) A method for generating description records from multimedia content,
comprising:

identifying multimedia types in multimedia content;
extracting multimedia objects to generate multimedia object descriptions from the
multimedia content for at least one of the multimedia types;
generating, from the multimedia object descriptions, entity relation graph descriptions for
at least one of the multimedia types; and